

Daily Digest

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages S12105–S12144

Measures Introduced: Eight bills and two resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 1670–1677, S.J. Res. 18, and S. Res. 236. **Page S12137**

Measures Reported:

S. 150, to make permanent the moratorium on taxes on Internet access and multiple and discriminatory taxes on electronic commerce imposed by the Internet Tax Freedom Act, with an amendment in the nature of a substitute. (S. Rept. No. 108–155) **Page S12137**

District of Columbia Appropriations Act: Senate resumed consideration of H.R. 2765, making appropriations for the government of the District of Columbia and other activities chargeable in whole or in part against the revenues of said District for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2004, taking action on the following amendment proposed thereto: **Pages S12108–25**

Pending:

DeWine/Landrieu Amendment No. 1783, in the nature of a substitute. **Pages S12108–25**

A unanimous-consent agreement was reached providing for further consideration of the bill at 11:30 a.m., on Tuesday, September 30, 2003. **Page S12129**

Nominations—Agreement: A unanimous-consent agreement was reached providing that at 9:15 a.m., on Tuesday, September 30, 2003, Senate vote on the nominations of Marcia A. Crone, to be United States District Judge for the Eastern District of Texas, and Ronald A. White, to be United States District Judge for the Eastern District of Oklahoma. **Page S12129**

Messages From the President: Senate received the following message from the President of the United States:

Transmitting, pursuant to law, a memorandum of understanding between the Secretaries of State and Homeland Security concerning implementation of Section 428 of the Homeland Security Act of 2002; to the Committee on the Judiciary. (PM–51) **Page S12136**

Nominations Confirmed: Senate confirmed the following nomination:

By unanimous vote of 86 yeas (Vote No. Ex. 368), Carlos T. Bea, of California, to be United States Circuit Judge for the Ninth Circuit. **Pages S12125–27, S12144**

Nominations Received: Senate received the following nominations:

Raymond W. Gruender, of Missouri, to be United States Circuit Judge for the Eighth Circuit.

William James Haynes II, of Virginia, to be United States Circuit Judge for the Fourth Circuit.

6 Coast Guard nominations in the rank of admiral. **Page S12144**

Additional Cosponsors: **Pages S12137–38**

Statements on Introduced Bills/Resolutions: **Pages S12138–44**

Additional Statements: **Pages S12134–36**

Record Votes: One record vote was taken today. (Total—368) **Page S12127**

Recess: Senate met at 1 p.m., and recessed at 7:17 p.m., until 9:15 a.m., on Tuesday, September 30, 2003. (For Senate's program, see the remarks of the Acting Majority Leader in today's Record on pages S12129–30.)

Committee Meetings

No committee meetings were held.